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I. Real Party in Interest

The real party in interest is Advanced Micro Devices, Inc., having a place of business at One AMD Place, P.O. Box 3453, Sunnyvale, California. This application is assigned to Advanced Micro Devices, Inc.

II. Related Appeals and Interferences

Appellant is unaware of any related appeals, interferences or judicial proceedings.

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